RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP NO. 1644

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Anderson, Hill, and Jewel

Serial No.: 10/089,700 Group Art Unit: 1644

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Title: Diagnosis Of Coeliac Disease Using A Gliadin Epitope

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Dear Sir:

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Final Rejection dated April 18, 2006 in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows.